Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives realize that the rank of Eagle Scout is a performance-based achievement, the proud standards of which have been well maintained for many years; and

Whereas, Charles T. "C.T." Ortman of Kansas City, Missouri, will receive the prestigious rank of Eagle Scout during a Court of Honor ceremony to be held on June 10, 2007, at Pine Ridge Presbyterian Church; and

Whereas, C.T., a member of Boy Scout Troop 1395, successfully met the requirements to attain Eagle status by completing his Eagle project which involved pouring a concrete sidewalk around the side of Pine Ridge Presbyterian Church leading down to steps and a basement entrance; and

Whereas, during his seven years in Scouting, C.T. mastered several challenging and diverse skills to earn twenty-eight merit badges, the God and Country award, the Coup of the Long Trail, the World Conservation Award, Brotherhood membership in the Order of the Arrow, and the status of Tom-Tom Beater in the Tribe of Mic-O-Say; and

Whereas, C.T. demonstrated his capability and willingness to exert leadership by fulfilling the duties and responsibilities of Senior Patrol Leader, Patrol Leader, Den Chief, Order of the Arrow Representative, and Instructor; and

Whereas, the son of Charles and Linda Ortman, C.T. developed immense personal growth and fitness by participating in the many assorted activities the Boy Scouts offer, some of which include camping 118 nights, attending the 2005 National Boy Scout Jamboree in Fort A.P. Hill, Virginia, and seven summer camps at H. Roe Bartle Scout Reservation, completing Junior Leader Training, taking third place in the 2001 District Competition Camporee, and going on a High Adventure trip to Philmont; and

Whereas, C.T.'s attainment of the Eagle rank will be recognized at all levels of our society as being a great achievement that required considerable dedication and effort:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join in extending our most hearty congratulations to C.T. Ortman for the steadfast determination he displayed in his pursuit to attain the rank of Eagle and in wishing him continued success in all future endeavors; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Eagle Scout Charles T. "C.T." Ortman.

Offered by	
-	Representative Jason Brown
	District No. 30

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, First Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 3951, adopted June 4, 2007.